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*Previous references*
Rll 69-12 SS 1-19
Rll 58-14 SS 1-2

*Later references*
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File No 127-17
Serial Nos 1—10

# GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

*Serial Nos* 1—10

Part B for May 1919

SUBJECT

Water Supply to Shimoga Town

From the Chief Engr Nr 13680 dt 20.12.17
States that the works surveying the Shimoga town water Supply System to obtain an Estimate of Rs 4,90,000/- was launched to meeting outbreak and requests early orders on the question of providing connections in the town.

G.O. Nr 13379-80 dt 31.4.18.
Sanctions with certain observations the Estimate for Rs 1,02,600/- providing for all the requirements of the Town of Shimoga and also the excess required for supplying the two Suburbs of

W D 1250—GFE—30,000 23-1-18

[illegible] State funds & the Federal Government
being permitted to raise the other half by means
of a loan and calls for proposals together with a
draft Prospectus for raising the Loan.

Mike Darcy

13/6/19

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

( Municipal )

NOTES

File No. 127-17

FILE HEADING

Water-Supply - Shimoga Town.

From

The Chief Engineer

No 13680 Dated 20 12 17 Received 22 12 17

| Diary No 1469 | Enclos | Spare Copies | Serial No 1 |
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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER

States that the work of improving the Shimoga Town Water-Supply System for which an estimate of Rs 40,018 was sanctioned in G.O No. 645-9/3081-58 6-4-1916, is nearing completion and requests early orders on the question of granting house connections in the Town.

NOTES AND ORDERS

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1 The water-supply project of the Shimoga Town was completed in 1910-11 at a cost of Rs 69299 There were frequent complaints that the supply was not adequate and no house service connections had been given. With a view to meet these demands Govt sanctioned

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sanctioned in G.O Nr: 1979-82/ Rul 69-12 dt 21 8 1916 a preliminary estimate for Rs 27148 for improving the water supply system and called for a detailed estimate from the Chief Engineer One half the cost of the improvements were to be borne by Govt and the other half by the Shunga Inamdhy, the charges on account of Es-4-1 Tools + Plant being waived The annual maintenance charges estimated at Rs 10122 were to be borne by the Inamdhy

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2. The detailed estimate for the work amounting to Rs 40,018 was sanctioned in G.O. Nr° 645-9/ P W 3081-5 dt 4 4 1916 The improvement works are now reported to be nearing completion and the Chief Engr requests early orders regarding the question of giving house connections

3 It is not clear from the file as to whether improvement works admit of house connections being given in every case it may be asked for or whether the number which each connection should be limited. The papers in the file only show that the water-supply system before the improvements were effected admitted only 11 or 12 house connections being given without appreciably affecting the existing supply and that the improvement

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were intended to admit
works ~~passed~~ of house connections being given without any limit in number

4. It has been ascertained that all the improvement works proposed to be undertaken to augment the water-supply to the town have been undertaken and that the cost as now estimated comes up to more than one lakh The annual maintenance charges which were first estimated at a little over Rs 10,000 have this year been budgetted at Rs 13,000 What the amount will be after the improvements are fully carried out cannot be now stated

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5 The point for orders is whether house connections may be given at the rates proposed by the Chief Engr in his letter No 8288 & 26 9 1913 i e, at Rs 20 per annum for 1/2 inch pipes and Rs 12/- per annum for 3/8 inch pipes ~~Rates~~ Meters are not advised as being not only too costly but also as bringing in little income The cost of laying pipes to private houses will have to be borne by the parties concerned as in Bangalore and Mysore cities.

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6. The present reference by the chief Engineer is in Connection with the Shimoga Town water Supply and relates to the giving of house Connections in the town In the letter under disposal the chief Engineer refers to his letter dy 26th Septr 1913 and requests orders thereon, but the conditions since then have considerably altered The 1913 reference was made in respect of providing a certain limited number of house Connections and public fountains without materially affecting the then existing water-supply to the town

7 In this office letter dy 13 11 1913, certain suggestions were made to the nl Council of Shimoga one of which was an improvement to the water-supply System of the town, as a side with a view to make it more efficient so that house connections may be given and public fountains increased In his letter dy 30 4 1914, which deals with the question fully the Dy Commr submitted the resolution of the nl Council agreeing to undertake the improvement of the entire water-supply System The Scheme for the improvement of the System was sanctioned, accordingly, in G O dy 21 8 1914 and the cost yet has gone on increasing from time to time

8 The chief Engr now reports that all the

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necessary improvements are nearing completion and solicits orders on the general question of giving house connections

2. The chief Engr's reference & his letter of 28th Sept'r 13 [illegible] that the question of giving house connections should be limited as pointed out therein but as a matter of fact this does not appear to be necessary in view of the large outlay that has been incurred in thoroughly improving the water-supply System. Though a general sanction may be given to the giving of house connections in all cases it is applied for, it is perhaps necessary to fix the maximum up to which it may be given so that the public water supply may not be jeopardised. There is no information available as to what this limit may be. This is perhaps due to the fact that this difficulty is not likely to arise for many years to come.

Submitted for orders

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9 [The papers have been needlessly delayed, from 4/1/18 to 22/1/18 with the Asst Secy, and again on certain information required by him, up to 14/3/18 in the office. The delay should have been avoided. Asst Secy will please note.]

M.C.

The Subject required some study & further information from the Engr Mining Jan's with 2 & 9. proposals re Cash when & which he accordingly gave. The file & the Supdt & Study & put up with a pencil note something to 2 & 9 if necessary. The information was not received by the 9th or Mrs. Please continue note MC

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1. The Chief Engineer's letter is of the briefest. He asks for orders on proposals submitted by him in Sept. 1913, in connection with the then existing state of the water-supply. Since then large improvements have been made at much cost, and the question on which orders are sought, viz, conditions of supply of house-connections, can only be decided on a consideration of the present conditions. The Chief Engr may accordingly be requested to ~~address~~ consult the Mil President and address the Govt with suitable ~~detailed~~ proposals on the subject.

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2nd member) 12 Jan.

21 3 18

13 draft Lr to Chief Engr 25/3/18

14 Issue

2 To the Chief Engineer no 5534 of 3 4 18 Regarding Conservancy

~~that he submit proposals~~ in consultation with the Presidt, Shemoga Town Mpl Cl, fresh proposals on the question of giving house Connections in the

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# GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

( Mund )

## NOTES

File No 127-17

FILE HEADING

Water supply to the Shimoga town

From

The President, Shimoga Town Mund. C.C.

No 716 Dated 25-3-18 Received 2 4 18

| Diary No 1460 | Enclos 5 Spare Copies | Serial No 3 |
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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER

Submits for sanction a revised Estimate for Rs 102,534 received from the Exec Engineer, Water supply Div, Bangalore, for improvements to the Shimoga Town Water supply in lieu of the Estimate thereof for Rs 40018 sanctioned in Govt no 645-1 Dy 30-1-15 & 4 16 & requests that the Mund. C.C. may be permitted to raise a debenture loan for the sanctioned Extra Estimate of Rs 62,534, the other sanctioned thereof being contributed by Govt & the Mund.

NOTES AND ORDERS -

1 The variations, if any are fully explained in the Report accompanying the revised Estimate

2 It will be seen from the "Abstract" no 1 that the sanctioned Estimate of Rs 40018 has nearly (more than) doubled chiefly owing to the rise of materials in prices.

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Please put up the file relating to the orders for sanctioning the water supply scheme

3 As the Council (Municipality) is unable to raise a debenture loan of Rs 50000 at 6 p.c. under G.O. No 2395-7 dt 30.10.1917 for the water supply scheme (dt 44-17-4) owing to it's bond for Consolidation which the Council may be permitted to issue a Consolidated loan of Rs 87267 for the two works together

4 The source for meeting the increased expenditure on a/c of the present loan is also required not -

15 Jan 1918.

5 The original estimate of Rs 40018 has been Exceeded by Rs 62534 The Municipality are agreeable to meet half the excess and request a grant from Govt. for the other half The scheme has been half Completed and if cannot be kept at that stage as the Municipality are raising a loan of Rs 50000/- they may be permitted to raise the amount now required along with and as part of the other loan.

6 The question of Govt. grant is a point for orders

Revised) 7 Issues are under orders. SJ 4

Municipal Council are raising a loan of Rs 50000 for the water supply scheme - Sanction is solicited to the issue of Rs 50000 for the water supply scheme Municipality

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8. There has been much has been said on this and we wished just for the sake of record to state that (1) there is the urgency (2) there has been due and due which was observed [illegible] in it

9. Kindly draft in 5 days

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Recd 16/4/18.

10. Please let me have the file referred to by Mr. Menon in the notes. This may be obtd from the P & D Secretariat. Also the others in force.

20/4/18

(Not available as it has been sent to [illegible])

11. There has been some unavoidable delay in submitting this file, which is due partly to the P.A. meetings & the references not being available readily.

12. Read P & R in which Rs 40018 was sanctioned & stated to have been debited to the Darwen recently on another connection. It is not available in the P & R Kindly refer to it & the routine note put up. Information obtd from the Waterworks Division goes to show that a sum of Rs 47656 has already been spent on the Srinagar Water Supply in excess of

I am told it has been sent to Mysore - when I was there I could not get it

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and that the amounts includes the sum of Rs 2000/- said to have been paid by the [illegible] towards the contribution payable by it. It is also ascertained that the required pipes and machinery have been already purchased and paid for.

13. A draft order reviewing the case in brief and returning the Estimates to the Board for reconsideration is submitted for approval or orders.

14. Attention however is kindly invited to the alternative smaller Estimates (Flagged) sent along with the letter under disposal. In view of the observations made in the draft order it is open to the Board now to submit for sanction of Govt one of the 2 smaller Estimates.

[initials]
29/4/18

221 30/4/18 Second Member)

15. Draft approved may issue [illegible]
16. [illegible]
17. [illegible]

The draft has issued already [initials]

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| 4 | From the Presidt Shimoga to Mr Civil & Chief Engineer No 6249-50 dt 7 5 18 Returns with Certain Observations, the recd with D.-3, for revision & return by 19 Submd with Rly D.W file & subject with refce to para 16 above |
| J (linked) (file detached & refd to D.W. Secrett 5/6/18 | 20. It is ascertained from the Divl Engineer, Water Supply Investigation that the outlay already incurred up to date is Rs 40,475-3-0 against the estimate of Rs 40,010 sanctioned for the improvements to the water works of Shimoga. Thus it is clear that both the shares of the State & the Mdk have not only been already spent but also have been exceeded by Rs 1457. |
| D & J | 21 Kind refce is also invited to the Proceedings ending with flag A-3 of the DW file put up Rly 31/5 21 For perusal [illegible] 31/5-18 |
| | 2nd Member) 23 Further action in the Printed bill regd is need [illegible] dt 7-5-18 |

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| | 25. Draft Ltr. |
| | Kp 4/6/18 25. Issue |
| 5 | To the Chief Engineer No 6869 dt 7.6.18. Requesting him to take steps for further work towards improvements to the Shompen town water supply with the receipt of the reply called for in ML 4 above |

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[illegible] from The Chief Engr no 9114 & 29/7/18 forwards, with reference to 5, a copy of letter received from The Supdg Engr on the subject of the water supply as soon as the improvements to the water works which are being carried out are complete proposals for granting house-Connections will be dealt with.

2. Submitted for orders with reference to paras 11 & 12 above

[illegible] 3/8

16. There is another file relating to Town water supply on which orders have been issued by the DC & advice consult the Md Council regarding the increased cost of the water supply improvements Please put it up. I think a communication may also sent to Chief Engr in that connection

5-8-18

17. The file noted (127-17) at 3-5 which is a 'Top' Case is put up for attention is invited to pp 4 & 5 thereon -

Bring up please

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Amount apply to the rates on the hire-hold file and remind if necessary to the DC. & the Chief Engr.

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7 | no 1 | no 11182 of
18-9 18 submits, with refce to para 4 of G.O. no 6249-50 dd 27-5-1918, 3 alternative revised Estimates for improving the Shemoga Town water supply and states that the Presidt, Shemoga Municipality has countersigned only the largest Estimate for Rs 102,622 & that further work has been stopped as ordered in G.O. of 7 6 18 & submits such orders on the Estimate now subd

27 The Chief Engineer does not appear to have sent the revised Estimate first to the Presidt of the Shemoga Town Mcply for his Countersignature with refce to G.O. of 7-5-18 calling for a revised Estimate as the Countersignature of the Presidt on the largest Estimate bears the date of 28 3 18

28. Further the usual resolution on the matter of the revised Estimate is

* together with the Connected Encls

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| | the necessary & it has not been received along with the present Communication.<br>29. Subd for orders<br>KP MM 25 9 18 |
| | 30. Please examine the proceedings of the Shimoga Municipality for the last 2 or 3 months and see if any notice of this Question has been made<br>MK 26/9. |
| | 31 I reviewed the recent proceedings of the Council & do not find therein any reference to the present subject. A draft Enquiry ~~to the~~, to D C Shimoga is also Subd.<br>KP 2/10<br>MM 2/10 |
| | 32 Submitted for perusal the draft with ~~her~~ his remarks & Expedite Municipal proposals<br>MK 2/10 |
| 18 | 2nd Member 33 2/10<br>4/10<br>34 Some remarks in file to-day<br>MK 5/10 |
| 8 | No 5224 D 5/10/18. |

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| 9 | Letter No 2285 dated 28th Octr 1918 from the President, Town Mcty Council Shimoga forwarding the resolution of the Municipal Council requesting sanction for the revised estimate for Rs 1,02,622/- re improvements to Shimoga Town Water Supply. 38 Submitted for orders. The Mcl Council ask for sanction to the largest 20/11/18 of the 3 estimates referred to in |
| Flag H. | 36 In G.O. No. 6249-50/Mul. 27-17-4 dy 7.5.918 the case of the Shimoga water supply improvements has been clearly summarised and in view of the indefinite nature of Govt liability in this connection, orders were issued to the Resdt & Chief Engr. that only absolutely necessary improvements should be undertaken and the recurring estimate proposed should be kept within the limit of one lac of rupees. Instead of considering the revised estimates, the Resdt has merely forwarded the resolution of the Mcl Council requesting sanction for the largest estimate which means over a lac of rupees and hoped which Govt will have to spare an additional contribution of Rs 30000/- besides the Rs 20000/- already given. |

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Council have also failed to comply with the order of Govt in para 5 of the above mentioned order. But in her letter of the 25th March 18 the President has given an indication of the way in which the Municipality proposes to meet the interest and Sinking fund charges on the loan to be raised

87 The work of carrying out the improvement has been stopped under orders of Govt and further correspondence would involve much additional delay. It is therefore a point for consideration whether the Estimate countersigned by the Board may not be sanctioned and the Municipality informed that no further contribution will be made by Govt towards the Scheme beyond the one lakh prayed for by them. Or, a lumpsum Contribution of Rs 25000/- may be sanctioned as an additional grant leaving the Municipal Council to raise the balance by a loan. It is submitted that the sanction to the largest Estimate would settle finally all the Municipal improvements for the Water supply of this Native backward Town.

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32 The 2nd alteration Rs 1/- in ✕ 76986 Rs requisitioned & bond represents that this subst —

under may I issue necessary two addl printed regd

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Kept by for personal submission to 2nd

MK 23/4/18

33. Submitted with a draft

HSM 23/4/18

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40. Revised draft subd as directed

DJ MM 9/11/18

41 Submitted the file in person to the Hon'ble Member for further instructions as regards the estimate now approved in view of the fact that it does not meet the case fully. The member directs that the draft in the file need not issue and that reference to the question as to the recent town notes may be omitted and the file resubmitted along with the said notes of inspection & Statement accordingly.

MK 11/12/18

42 The copy of my letter dated 7th August last to the Collr. of Ajmer may be perused &

Yes

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Order Routine Note 8435 C/9 addressed to the Secretariat Department (Mr. Deen Dayal) to the member of the

DS 74015 as checked by the Chief Engineer

Kept by for personal submission to 2nd

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43. Please put up draft accdg, which after appl by Temporary Member may be sent to Council Secrett

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45. Draft submitted Sanctg the largest estimate under three points in the draft require notice. The first is that a decision will have to be arrived at as regards State contribution towards the Excess cost involved in the estimate now passed by the Council. The Secretary in his minute of 23/11/18 has observed that no additional grant is required but when the file was submitted in person he directed that the file should be put up with the recent Tom Tadies. Since these have not issued yet and Sanction has been given on 16/1/19 in para 4(d) of the largest estimate, the question arises as to whether the Sanction includes also Sanction of the proposals of the Municipal Boards to meet the Excess. This has been presumed in the draft order and is subject to alteration as at the time I submitted the file in person, I understood the matter to be considered

Letter No. 257/35 dated March 1918 from DI

Rev Secy

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46) Temporary member & Dewan — 23/1/19

47. The Ld Legislative Council having by a majority of 1/2 the entire number of members present passed a draft Act — giving full legislative effect to the case — proposals submitted — & the final scheme thereby sanctioned — Government have been subjected to much criticism & delay — so long — without any

48 Revised draft submitted accordingly H.P. 18/2/19 — 49 Revised exemption 22/2/19

49 Temporary member & Dewan. (Revised) 50

3305 26.2.19

50 5055 4-3-19 51 hereby fixes 1 year 28/2/19

52 The date or time

53 may be

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52 Subd with reference to para 52 above, the office is not able to furnish the information on the point - draft Calling for the same from the Chief Engineer is put up.

54 Issue
8/3/19
8/3/19

53 To the Chief Engineer - no 11575 S 8 3 19 Enquire, with reference to letter, what amount will be required for expenditure during the current year if improvements to the Shimoga Water supply are to be carried out - in accordance with the largest of the 3 Estimates - recd with his letter of 18.9.18 (sl 7 above)

55 This information will be subd separately with receipt from the Chief Engr

56 meanwhile the file resubd (as per orders) with refce to paras 47 & 51 above together with a(1) Copy of Go no 11030-9 of 26.2.19 re Water supply Schemes & (2) the draft Go (approved by the Dewan) sanctg the largest of the 3 Estimates recd from the Chief Engr vide para 47 above to be passed in Council

57 Improvements to the Shimoga Town W.S. has been included in Programme B attended to the order of 26.2.19 referred to above

8/3/19

To be executed during 1918-19.

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By This is a sum of Rs 50000/- under "Water supply Towns" in this year's budget. Not much of this sum can have been spent so far. As only 4 months in the year are left it will perhaps be possible to provide sufficient funds for Expenditure this year

By This may now be put to the Council Secretariat

Revised

Chief Secy with Compts 11.3.19

11.3.19

C.S. C[illegible]

By (1) In forwarding my work at Shimoga in January last, the question of the supply of water & drainage & sewerage received my attention and I inspected the works done, carefully along with the late Mr Ch Engr & the Exn in charge of Water Supply & Sanitary Works and respectively I have recorded my views in my Tour Notes, and I think it will be helpful if the proposed Govt order is sent to the Secy P.W.D for remarks if any before it is considered in Council.

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| D. 12371 | | From the Chief Engineer D.O. 3/18 3 19. state in reply to the D.O of 8.3.19 from this Office, that a sum of Rs 24,000 is required for expenditure during the Current year on the improvements to the water supply to Chamba town. |
| D. 6722 | | By this office D.O ref? to is on the main file no. 127—17 relating to the above subject which is now under Circulation among members of Council. |
| | | This may therefore be forwarded in continuation to the Council section |
| | | 20/3/19 By this file may be linked along with the main file and a note made in the file against the question asked by the Comm |
| | | To Council section) |
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(For Disposal at a Meeting)

No. C 705

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SUBJECT

(Clause iii (b) of the Schedule)

Estimate for improvements to the Shimoga Town Water Supply

CIRCULATED TO THE MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

By Order,

14th March 191 9 Chief Secretary to Government

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Extraordinary Member of Council

First Member of Council

Second Member of Council opinion recorded 15 3 19

Temporary Member of Council. seen

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*Extract from the Proceedings of the* [redacted] *meeting of the Council of His Highness the Maharaja held at Bangalore on the* [redacted] March *19*[redacted]

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2. Subject.—Clause iii (b) of the Schedule.

Estimate for improvements to the Shimoga Town Water Supply.

Opinion of the Council.

The draft order may be approved.

Sd. A.R.Banerji,
Offg. Dewan of Mysore.

**EXTRACT**

*Chief Secretary to Government*

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* 23 As soon as circulation is complete and the opinion of the Council is recorded the file will be forwarded to the Secretary in the Department concerned for transmission if need be to the Financial Secretary under Standing Orders and for submission to the Dewan or Member in charge.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Council is put up

Forwarded with compliments to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, under * Rule 23 of the Subsidiary Rules of Council Business

By Order,

Chief Secretary to Government

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Received on APR 4 1919
Reg No 6036

Submitted to His Highness

I submit herewith a Final Note by the Temporary Member of Council on the subject of an estimate for improvements to the Shimoga Town Water Supply. -

for His Highness' gracious approval

Dewan

FINAL NOTE BY THE TEMPORARY MEMBER OF COUNCIL

Subject — Estimate for improvements to the Shimoga Town Water Supply.

These papers relate to the question of sanctioning a revised estimate amounting to Rs.1,02,622 for effecting certain improvements to the existing water supply of the Shimoga Town and the payment of a moiety of the excess involved thereby from State Funds. In Government Order No. 645-9/P W.3081-5 dated 4th April 1916 a revised estimate amounting to Rs.40,018 was sanctioned for carrying out these improvements. But owing to the rise in the price of materials due to war and the repeated requests of the Municipal Council for affording facilities for house connections, it became necessary to revise the estimate again with the result that the President of the Municipal Council submitted for the orders of Government with his letter No. 716 dated 25th March 1918 three alternative estimates as shown in the margin and requested that the largest of the three estimates might be sanctioned as the said estimate provided for house connections as well as increasing the number of public fountains, both of which were in great demand. The President also stated that the Municipal Council would raise a moiety of the excess cost of the revised estimate by means of a loan and requested that Government might be pleased to sanction the other half of the excess involved. As the rise in the revised estimates went beyond all expectations and the liability of Government ir regard to this scheme had to be definitely determined before sanction was accorded to any of these estimates, the whole case was reviewed in Government Order No. 6249-50/M1 127-17-4 dated

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| No.1 | Estimate | for | Rs.1,02,534 |
| No 2 | " | " | " | 76,927 |
| No.3 | " | " | " | 74,462 |

dated 7th May 1918 and the Municipal Council were asked to adopt only that estimate which provided for absolutely essential works. On this the President of the Municipal Council submitted again with his letter No.225 dated 28th October 1918 a resolution of the Municipal Council recommending the adoption of the largest estimate, as finally revised by the Chief Engineer, for Rs 1,02,622 as the work and expenditure were absolutely necessary. The Dewan (then Second Member of Council) observed on 23rd November 1918 that the second alternative estimate for Rs.76,986 might be sanctioned, but after his inspection of the town in December 1918 he was pleased to note on 16th January 1919 in view of the urgency of the improvements and the requirements of the town, that the largest estimate might be passed.

(2) A draft order sanctioning the largest estimate for Rs.1,02,622, promising a contribution of half the excess cost involved thereby from State Funds and permitting the Municipal Council to raise a loan to meet the other half of the excess was put up accordingly and the entire question was considered in Council on 27th March 1919. The Council have agreed to the draft order which is submitted for the gracious approval of His Highness.

Member of Council.

4th April 1919

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Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja

*Subject.*

14. Estimate amounting to Rs.1,02,622 for improving the Shimoga Towr Water Supply

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*Order.*

7 s.c.

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(3) Letter no 675 of 13 3 18 from V.P., Sh Irr
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(4) Report of Exve Engr N S Sn of 21.4.18 accompanying the revised Estimate
(5) Estimate & Comparative statement re revised Estimate
(6) Plans (2)]

60 Do the Dy Comr Shimoga & Ch Engr:
No. 13379-80 of 21.4.18 with certain Receipts & Sanctioning the Estimate for Rs. 102,622 providing for all the requirements of the Town & also half the excess Cost involved from the Stock Bounds the Mysore C.L. being permitted to raise the other half by means of a loan & calls for proposals together with a draft prospectus for raising the loan —

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V Balasundaram Jr

Chief Secretary to Govt

Through the Secretary to Government,

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MYSORE P W DEPARTMENT

CENTRAL OFFICE,

*Bangalore*, 20th December 191 7

*From*

S CADAMBI, Esq,

*Chief Engineer for Irrigation,*

*Bangalore*

*To*

B Ramaswamiya Esq, B A , B L ,

Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

Revenue Department, Bangalore

SIR,

Adverting to correspondence ending with G O No 64-5/Ml 58-14-2 dated the 6th July 1915, I have the honour to state that an estimate amounting to Rs40,018 to improve the Water Supply System at Shimoga so as to permit of house connections being given therefrom was sanctioned in Government Order No 645-9/3081-5 dated 4th April 1916, and as work thereon is nearing completion, I have the honour to request the favour of early orders of Government being obtained on the general question of granting house connections in the town, submitted with this office letter No 8288 of 26th September 1913.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Engineer for Irrigation

J R

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MYSORE P W DEPARTMENT

*No*

*From*

THE CHIEF ENGINEER OF MYSORE

*Bangalore*

*To*

*Dated Bangalore,* *'191*

*Despatched*

*Enclosure No*

SUBJECT

Report to accompany the revised estimate for the improvements to Shimoga water works.

Reference:- ~~Superintending~~ Chief Engineer's No. 1341 dated 10-12-17 calling for a revised estimate for the above work.

An estimate amounting to Rs.40,018/- for the above work was received sanctioned with Superintending Engineer's No 3748 dated the 17/28th April 1916 in which provision was made for installing a gas engine and pump of a higher capacity than the one now existing and also for improving the distribution by the construction of an elevated tank at the laying of a 3" sub main in the Chick and Dodda Brahminkere streets.

Tenders were called for, for the various materials required and as the accepted rates were higher than the sanctioned ones and as some alterations had to be made in the alignment of the distribution as requested by the Municipality, the estimate had to be revised and the revised estimate amounted to Rs 1,02,534/-. The reason for the various excesses is explained in detail below

ITEM NO I IMPROVEMENTS TO MACHINERY.

Engine and pumps.

As revised Rs 15345
As sanctioned Rs 8550
Excess Rs 6795

The provision made in the original estimate for machinery was insufficient owing to the fact that the estimate was prepared so far back as May 1915 The accepted cost of the engine and pump alone comes to Rs 12,630/- The cost of the special pipes and materials required for erecting the engine and pump which were originally included as lumpsum is now provided separately, this is estimated to cost Rs 2720/- vide estimate The existing suction pipe which is 4" diameter has to be altered to 5" to suit the new pump purchased This change was not anticipated originally as it was thought that the existing pipe would be sufficient This alteration to the suction pipe is effected to cost Rs 1375/- Of these articles all except the suction pipes --

pipes have been purchased already.

(b). F I L T E R S.

As revised Rs 7967

As sanctioned Rs 6620

Excess. Rs 4334

The lumpsum provision made in the original estimate included, in addition to the cost of filters, cost of specials required for the same But as per actual cost as purchased the cost of the filters alone comes to Rs 6340/-. The cost of the specials &c. required comes to Rs 2389/- as per estimate No.2 In addition, the original idea of installing the filters in the same room has to be given up as it will cramp the room It is therefore proposed to improve the existing buildings so as to erect the filters all in a line as shown in plan. The cost of this work comes to Rs 1227/- making the total excess Rs.4336/- under this sub head.

(c). PUMP AND ENGINE HOUSE

As revised. Rs 4387

As sanctioned Rs 2100

Excess. Rs 2287

A lumpsum of Rs.1500/- was provided for extending the existing engine house as it was not possible to settle definitely the nature and size of room required for the machinery The actual cost of the same as per requirements of the plant accepted comes to Rs. 4387/- or Rs.2287/- over the sanctioned provision.

II. IMPROVEMENTS TO DISTRIBUTION.

(A). Construction of an elevated storage reservoir

As revised. Rs 13453-

As sanctioned 10820

Excess Rs 2633-

In the original estimate it was proposed to have jack arched roofing for the tank A rate of Rs 14/- per Cwt for beams was provided as per then prevailing rates. The fact of present market rates having gone up to more than double the original rate provid-

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provided and the difficulty of getting girders even with higher - rates led to the alteration of the roofing to one of ordinary arc -ing as shown in plan. This has alsobeen approved by the Superin tending Engineer To prevent leakage a provision of brick on edge flooring has been added on the first floor as per Superinten ding Engineer's orders the cost of the same coming to Rs 272/-. The lumpsum of Rs.500/- provided for specialx pipes &c., was found insufficient for the specials required The cost as per actual - requirements comes to Rs.1082/- giving an excess of Rs.782/-.

In the total estimate it was proposed to leave the ground - floor arches open. The site of the tank being in front of the - Town Hall it was necessary to make the same a little ornamental and close the opneings on the side walls to prevent nuisance being committed inside. The cost of this comes to Rs 454/-.

A provision of Rs 100/- has been made for forming road in - front of the tank.

Thus the excess in this item can be classified as follows:-

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| Excess in tendered rates. | Rs 424/- |
| Brick on edge flooring | Rs 272/- |
| Excess on specials. | Rs 782/- |
| Closing up opening. | Rs. 454/-. |
| Forming road | Rs 100/- |
| | Rs. 2032/- |

Excess due to alterations in design Rs 362/-

It will be seen from the above that the excess is unavoidable

(B). Rising main and Distribution pipes

As revised Rs 28916

As sanctioned. Rs 11232

Excess Rs 17684

The elevated tank was originally proposed to be built where the present balancing tank near Taluk Cutcherry is situated. But the site being not suitable and as higher ground was available - close by, it was changed to opposite the Town Hall. This necessi- tated an additional length of the rising main The excess under

under this excluding labour and contingencies can be brought ---- under (1) Extra cost of materials Rs.2203/- approved as tender has been accepted. (2). Extra cost of additional lengthhof main required due to the above alteration Rs.561/- (3) Excess due to extra specials is Rs 90/-.

The total excess comes to Rs. 2854/-.

As regards the distribution pipes it was originally proposed to lay a 3" cast iron main along Chick and Doddabrahminkere -- streets and to connect this main with three existing mains. ---- These mains are now fed both from the rising main and the balancing tank near Taluk Cutcherry but the sanctioned estimate provided forlinking up these mains with the elevated tank The --- size of these mains is in some places less than 3" and as there is an idea of giving house connection in these localities and as water supply has to be extended to the extensions near the Railway station beyond the bridge, it is necessary to change the ---- feeder lines also to 3" so as to have good supply in the proposed 3" main. Hence in the revised estimate provision has been made to lay 3" mains in the feeder lines wherever it is smaller in -- size, the pipe removed being utilised elsewhere This alteration ~~also~~ is also necessary in as much as the Municipality wants additional fountains to be erected for which purpose proper mains -- have to be laid in these localities. The extra cost excluding - labour and contingencies due to this comes to Rs 5472/- as per --- estimate for distribution line The balance of excess of Rs.1829/ under this item is due to the altered site of the tank necessitating the laying of outlet pipes

(C). ADDITIONAL FOUNTAINS

This is an extra item not provided in the original estimate in which a lumpsum of Rs 1000/- only was provided for improving -- existing fountains.

The present number of fountains being inadequate to meet the demands of the people the Municipality has requested that 34 extra fountains may be erected at different places in the Cit This is a necessary work and the cost of the same with the neces

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necessary pipes for the connection comes to F. 22,397/-.

(D). SUB MAINS FOR HOUSE CONNECTIONS.

There is a provision for this in the original estimate. There are included as requested by the Vice President, the cost comes to F. 3210/-.

It will be seen from the above that out of a total excess of F.62,516/- in the revised estimate, an excess of F. 25,607/- is due to the additional fountains and the sub mains requisitioned by the Municipality, F. 19,184/- is due to the increased cost of materials provided for in the original estimate and F.22,197/- is required for the additions and alterations necessary to ensure proper supply. The -- balance is due to the excess under labour.

S. Sundaram Esq.
Executive Engineer,
Water Supply Division 14/7

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SUBJECT House-Connections in the Shemsha Town

Diary No. of letter replied to 1467

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L AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,
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No. 5534
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Date of issue 3.4.18

To The Chief Engineer

Signed by M.B.T Kesavadas

Sir,

With reference to your letter no 13,680 of 20/12/17 in the matter of grant sanction in the general question of giving House-Connections in the Shemsha Town, I am directed to point out that your proposals made in September 1913 related to the then existing state of water supply in the Town and that since then large improvements have been made thereto at much cost

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2 I am therefore directed to request that the Board may be instructed to submit suitable proposals in consultation with the President of the Chamber for granting those Concessions upon due consideration of the proposed Conditions and subject to the usual Safeguards.

I have, &c.

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From

The President,
Town Municipality,
Shimoga.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department,
Bangalore.

No. 716.
Dated 25th March 1918
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Stating that the estimate for Rs 1,02,534/- was sanctioned by the Municipal Council held on 25th February 1918 etc.,

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No. 718/Encs 5

Office of the President,
Town Municipality,
Dated, Shimoga 25th March 1918.

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From

M.A. Narayana Iyengar, Esqr., B.A., B.L.,
President,
Town Municipality,
S h i m o g a.

To

B. Ramaswamaiya, Esqr., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department,
B a n g a l o r e .

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose a copy of letter (enclosure A) No. 359 dated 14th March 1918 from the Executive Engineer, Water Supply Division, Bangalore enclosing 3 separate estimates marked 1. 2, and 3 for the proposed improvements to the Shimoga Water Works. These estimates have been revised to suit the present market conditions as the original estimates were prepared nearly two and a half years ago and as there has since been undue strain on the metal market

Estimate No.I. deals with the original work as previously sanctioned.

Abstract No.2. provides for extra cost of laying a 3" main pipe line through the Chick and Big Brahmin streets and a 3' feeder line from the Big reservoir already constructed under the original scheme.

Abstract No.3. includes cost of the above mentioned work

work and the cost of an additional 34 fountains proposed to be installed by the Municipal Council in their meeting held on 26th May 1917.

Variations in the market rates have been fully dealt with by the Executive Engineer in his report (vide enclosure B).

The Municipal Council in their meeting held on 25th February last have resolved to approve the estimate for Rs 1,02,534/- as it would meet the requirements of the Town fully. Towards this amount, this Municipality paid a sum of Rs 20,000/- to the Water Works Department, in the year 1916-17, a similar amount having been granted by the Government. A sum of Rs 62,534/- has therefore to be made available to complete the scheme on hand. To meet these requirements the Municipal Council have resolved to approach the Government for a grant of Rs 31,267/-, the other half being met by a municipal debenture loan to be raised at 6 per cent per annum.

The Council have by sheer necessity been obliged to request for Government contribution as the finances of the Municipality do not permit of a heavier expenditure.

The Budget for the year 1918-19, which will be separately submitted to Government through the Deputy Commissioner of the District, shows a slender closing balance of roughly Rs 15,000/-. The Council, as sanctioned by the Government in their Order No. 2395-7.L.1. 44-17-4 dated the 30th October 1917, will shortly raise a debenture loan of Rs 50,000/- at 6 per cent per annum for the Shimoga drainage works and if the Government be pleased to sanction the estimates and proposals herewith submitted, a further sum of Rs 31,267/- will have to be raised on the debenture loan at 6 per cent per annum. The total liability will then amount to Rs 31,267

If this loan is raised terminable in 25 years, a sum of Rs 3,750/- will have to be set apart annually towards repayment of capital and a sum of Rs 4,376/-, a year towards payment of interest on the total loan to be raised. Provision will therefore have to be madeannually in the budget of this Municipality for an extra expenditure of Rs 8,126/- over and above the present estimates.

The Council propose to meet this extra expenditure from the increased income which may be derived from the terminal taxes etc., (vide resolution submitted to Government in this office letter No. 349 dated 16th November 1917).

As the Council cannot posibily enhance their income with any extra taxations and as house, water and mohatarfa taxes are at their maximum, the council respectfully request the Government for a free contribution of Rs 31,267/- towards the Shimoga Water Works and also seek for permission to raise a debenture loan of Rs 31,267/- at 6 per cent per annum repayable in 25 years.

I therefore request you to kindly place this before the Government and obtain their orders

I have the honor to be,

S i r ,

Your most obedient servant,

Subramanyam

for P R E S I D E N T ,

Town unicipality, Shimoga.

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Proceedings of the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read -

Letter No 716 dated 25th March 1918, from the President of the Shimoga Town Municipality requesting sanction to the following -

(1) An estimate for Rs.1 02,534 for improvements to Shimoga Water Works in lieu of the estimate for Rs.40,018 sanctioned in Government Order No 645-9/ P.W.3081-5 dated 4th April 1916.

(2) A grant from the State Funds of Rs 31,267 in addition to Rs 20,000 sanctioned in the Government Order of 4th April 1916

(3) For raising a debenture loan at 6 per cent per annum for the sum of Rs.31,267 along with the debenture loan of Rs 50,000 sanctioned in --- Government Order No.2395-7/Ml.44-17-4 dated 30th October 1917

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Order No 1249-50/Rel 127-17-4
Bangalore, dated 7th May 1918

The original Water Supply Scheme of Shimoga Town cost Rs 69,299 for which Government contributed a moiety and advanced Rs.?7,000 as a loan

2- In connection with the request of the Municipal Council for the grant of house service connections and more public fountains, Government in their Order No.1979-82/M1 69-12-19 dated 21st August 1914 sanctioned a preliminary scheme of improvements to the said Water Works estimated at Rs.27,148 promising half the cost of the improvements on the understanding that further help beyond the promised contribution will not be given and that the work should be started only after the Government are assured of the ability of the Municipality to meet the annual maintenance charges At the same time, the Chief Engineer was requested to have the detailed estimates and plans prepared for the work Accordingly an estimate for Rs 40,018 submitted by the Chief Engineer was sanctioned by Government in P.W.D. No 645-9/P.W 3081-5 dated 4th April 1916, the cost being ordered to be met by the Municipality and Government in equal proportions It is not clear on what authority the Municipal Council accepted this estimate without reference to Government in the administrative department. The President reports in his letter of 30th March 1918 that a sum of Rs 20,000 was placed at the disposal of the Water Works Department in 1916-17 but makes no mention regarding the works executed so far in connection

~~with these improvements~~ and the works that remained to be carried out. He has now submitted three alternative revised estimates, as noted in the margin received from the Public Works Department and solicits sanction to the resolution of the Municipal Council to ~~xxx~~ accept the estimate for Rs 1,02,534 which provides for more public fountain and the requirements of the Town fully He has also applied for an additional Government grant of Rs 31,267 undertaking to raise a debenture loan at 6 per cent for the amount payable by the Municipality along with the debenture loan for Rs.50,000 ordered to be raised in Government Order No 2395-7/ML 44-17-4 dated 30th October 1917.

(in connection with these improvements)

1 for Rs. 102,534
2 for 76,927
3 for 74,462

3. This is one of the several instances in which the original estimate has risen from stage to stage beyond the range of possibilities and even now the liability of Government has not been finally determined No orders have yet been passed on the question of house connections which arose in 1912 apparently due to the delay in the execution of the sanctioned improvements (Service)

4 Under these circumstances, Government direct that the estimates be returned to the President for reconsideration and revision omitting additional fountains and providing for only absolutely essential works of improvement considering that the original --

scheme cost only Rs 70,000 in round numbers and the improvement scheme which was meant chiefly for giving house service connections is estimated at over a lakh

5 The attention of the President, Municipal Council, is also invited to the necessity for full financial statement of the assets and liabilities of the Municipality whenever any application is made on behalf of the Municipal Council to raise a debenture loan.

Offg Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department

To

The President, Town Municipality,
Shimoga.

The Chief Engineer of Mysore.

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SUBJECT

*Diary No. of letter replied to* 2460

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT
Mangalore
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*Date of issue* 4.6.68

*Signed by* for B. T. Kesavadas

Section ML
File No 127—1
Serial No 5

No. 6869
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To The Chief Engineer

Sir,

I am directed to request you to be good enough to put a stop to further work in connection with the execution of improvements to the Shimoga Town Water supply till the receipt of a reply to G.O. No. 6249-50 dated 5-7-68 ML 127-17-4 on the same subject.

I have, etc.

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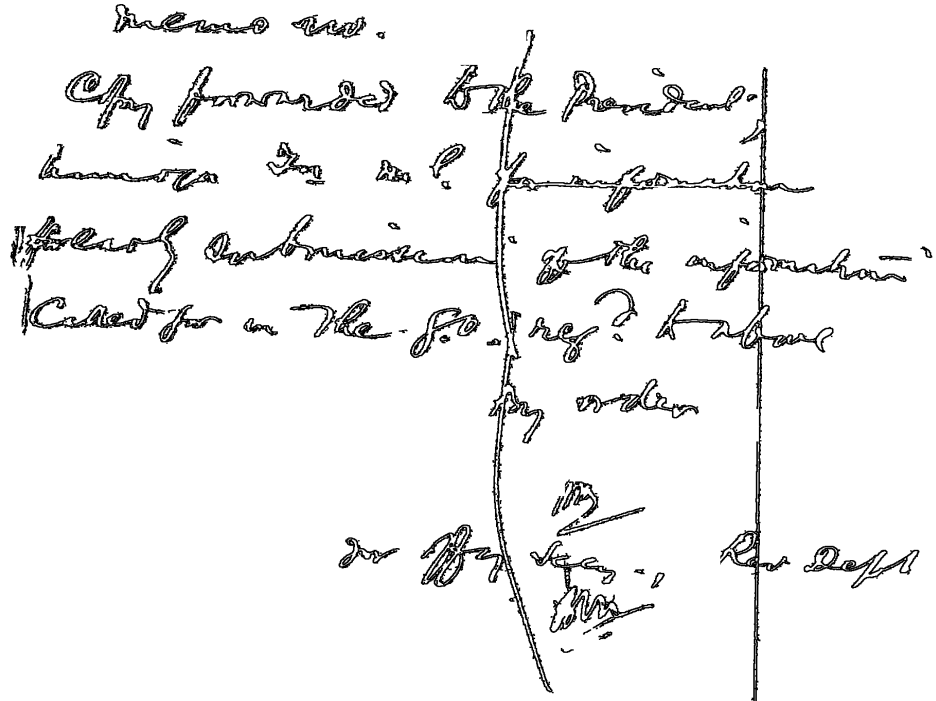

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Mysore Public Works Department,

Central Office,

Dated Bangalore, 29th July 1918.

S, Cadambi, Esq.,

Offg. Chief Engineer of Mysore,

B a n g a l o r e.

To

B.Ramaswamaiya, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

Revenue Department, Bangalore.

Sir,

Adverting to your letter No.5534/M1.127-17-2 dated 3rd April 1918 and subsequent correspondence ending with this office No.8375 dated 11th July 1918, regarding proposals for granting house services in the Shimoga Town, I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of letter No.5334/M 48-18 dated 10th idem received from the Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle, on the subject.

2. After the whole work is completed in every respect, proposals will be sent up for granting house connections.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Chief Engineer of Mysore.

J.R

Encl to MU 27-17-6

Letter No.5334/W 48-18 dated the 10th July 1918 from the Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle, to the Chief Engineer of Mysore, Bangalore.

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With reference to your No.5093 dated 23rd April 1918, calling for a report on the question of granting house connections in the Shimoga Town, I have the honour to state that the improvements required for the water supply are not yet completed The new engine and pump are being erected. Although the elevated tank is very nearly completed, water is not admitted to it and the alterations in the rising main have yet to be effected. As soon as these are completed and tested, proposals on the question of granting house connections will be submitted in consultation with the President Shimoga Municipality.

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Assistant Secretary to Government,

Public Works Department.

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MYSORE P W DEPARTMENT

CENTRAL OFFICE,

*Bangalore,* 21st September 1918

*From*

S CADAMBI, Esq,

*Chief Engineer for Irrigation,*

*Bangalore*

*To*

B. Ramaswamiya, Esq , B.A.,B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

Revenue Department, Bangalore.

SIR,

With reference to para 4 of G.O.No.6249-50/M1 127-17-4 dated the 7th May 1918, I have the honour to forward, for favour of orders, the accompanying alternative revised estimates amounting respectively to Rs1,02,622, 77,015, 74,552 for improving the water supply to Shimoga Town

2 The report of the Executive Engineer and the office notes of the Superintending Engineer, Southern Circle and of this office explain the necessity for the revised estimates and the excesses over the sanctioned provisions over the several subheads The President, Shimoga Municipality, has countersigned only the larges estimate amounting to Rs1,02,622, which provides also for laying sub-mains to facilitate house connections and erect additional public fountains.

3. As ordered in letter No 6869/M1 127-17-5 dated 7th June 19 the further work has been stopped.

4. Early orders are solicited.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Chief Engineer for Irrigation

J.D

Enclosures -
Estimate and 2 Abstracts
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MYSORE P W DEPARTMENT

No 1170

From

THE CHIEF ENGINEER OF MYSORE
for Superintendence, Bangalore

To

The Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department

Dated Bangalore, 18th September 1918

Despatched —— Do ——

Enclosure No 14

SUBJECT

'Revised estimate for improving the water supply to Shivaganga town.

En c. to Govt. No. 123-17-7 (54).

Revised estimates (alternative) amounting to Rs 1,02,593, 76,986 and 74,523 respectively for improving the Water Supply to Shimoga Town.

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The stages through which this question has passed since the installation of the first water supply scheme have been succinctly narrated in Government Order dated 7th May 1918.

2 The cost of the original scheme was Rs 69,299

3 As the townspeople represented that the system was not satisfactory and they required a greater number of public fountains and sub-mains for taking house connections, Government approved of a preliminary estimate amounting to Rs 27,148 with the direction that detailed estimates might be prepared and submitted for sanction.

Accordingly, an estimate amounting to Rs 40,018 was submitted to Government and sanctioned.

4 The Executive Engineer reported in his letter No.1194 dated 29th October 1917 that, on account of war conditions, the prices provided for the engine, pump, filters, needed revision and the excess anticipated was Rs 9,000. This was duly intimated to Government.

5 The revised estimate now submitted amounts respectively to Rs 1,02,595, 76,986 and 74,523 as per different abstracts.

The largest estimate includes the cost of additional fountains and laying sub-mains to facilitate giving house connections.

The two other estimates have provided for the necessary works which are capable of being improved at any time when the new fountains and house connections might be granted.

6 Government have distinctly ordered that a revised estimate for necessary works only without providing for additional fountains and sub-mains should in the first instance be submitted.

7 Abstract no.2 which amounts to Rs 76,986 may therefore be considered.

Engine and Pump

Sanctioned Rs 8,500

Revised Rs 15,350

While writing for permission to incur excess up to Rs 9,000 the amount shown against this item was Rs 12,630 evidently the tendered rates for the engine and the pump The extra amount of Rs 2,720 is reported to be due to the special pipes &c., e.g., the suction pipe has been changed from one of 4" to 5"

Filters.-

Sanctioned Rs 5,620

Revised Rs 9,877

The excess is due to the tendered rate for filters and for insufficient provision made for specials in the original estimate. Again as per original provision, the filters were intended to be located in the Engine Room Now it is proposed to instal them in a separate room.

Pump and Engine House.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sanctioned | Rs | 2,100 | lumpsum provision |
| Revised | Rs | 4,466 | as actually ex-cutdd |

Elevated Reservoir

| | |
|---|---|
| Sanctioned | Rs 10,826 |
| Revised | Rs 13,493 |

Original design was to have jack arched roofing, but as the steel beams were costly, it was changed to that of ordinary arches.

The excess is due to provision for brick on edge flooring over the arches, fitting the open spaces at bottom &c

Distribution

| | |
|---|---|
| Sanctioned | Rs 11,232 |
| Revised | Rs 28,939 |

The site for the reservoir was changed involving in an additional length of rising main

As the existing distribution pipes were not of proper sizes, pipes of 3" have been uniformly provided everywhere.

Abstract - no 3

(58)

Improving the water supply to the Shamirpet Jn

| Sub heads | Amount Rs |
|---|---|
| (1) Purchasing and fitting pumping Engine and Electric plant with necessary pipes &c | 15350 |
| (2) Purchasing two 60" pressure sand filters - | 9879 |
| (3) Constructing an Elevated reservoir | 13520 |
| (4) Improving Engine house & Casting Electric house | 4468 |
| (5) Laying pipe line | 28937 |
| (6) Improving fountains | 1000 |
| (7) Erecting machinery & Casting - | 1356 |
| (8) Dismantling & removing existing tanks (Abst no 4) | 40 |
| (9) Shifting the existing pumps & placing & shifting &c as per sketch vch | 800 |
| (10) Shifting the existing boilers & Constructing a new shed | 1140 |
| (11) Connecting the pumps into pipe-system (Abs no 5) | 523 |
| (12) Constructing additional fountains | 22397 |
| (13) Laying Sub mains for house Connections | 3210 |
| Total | 102622 |

Amount drawn Estimate.
Rs. 40078
Sub Excess Rs. 62604

Copy forwarded for the favour of the Executive Engineer, Cuddapah Circle for 3/4/1. & 1/4/14 dt 4/4/14.

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SUBJECT

*Diary No of letter replied to* 4295

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,
( from C )
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*Date of issue* 5-10-18

*Signed by* for B T Kulasuriya

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File No 127-17
Serial No 67

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No 5224 05.10.18

To The Deputy Comr, Shimoga

Sir,

In Continuation of my O. No 6249-5 dt 7.5.18 Calling for a revised estimate in connection with the improvements to the Shimoga Town water supply I am directed to forward herewith a Copy of letter no 11181 dt 10.9.18 received from the Chief Engineer on the same subject and to request you to be so good as to intimate early, that—

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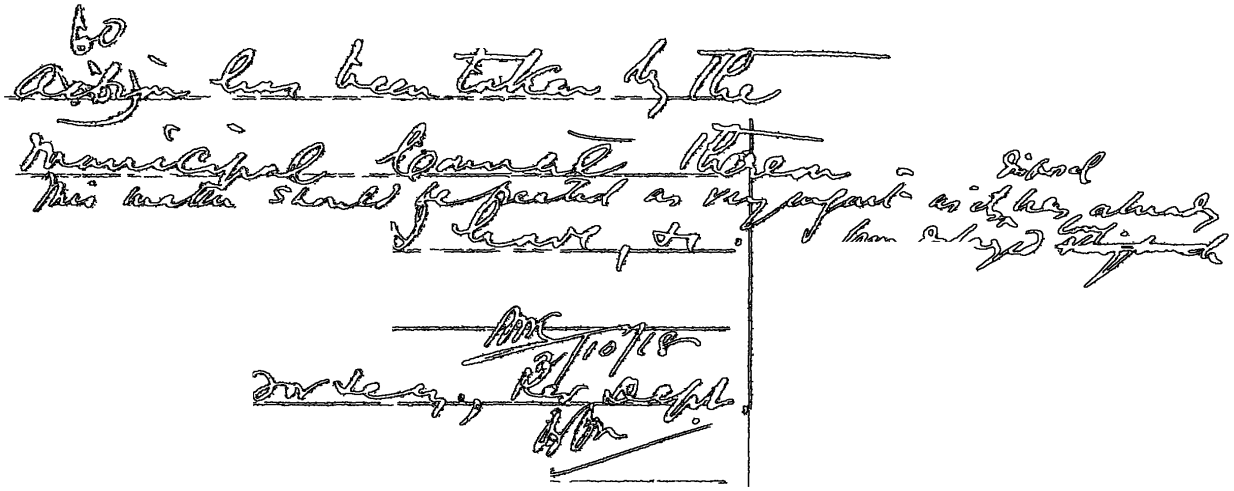

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No. 225/one

Office of the President, Town Municipality,
S h i m o g a .
Dated Shimoga the 28th October 1918.

From

M.A. Narayana Iyengar, Esquire., B.A.,B.L.,
President, Town Municipality,
Shimoga.

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To

B. Ramaswamaiah, Esquire., B.A.,B.L.,
Secretary to Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue Department,
Bangalore.

Through :- The Deputy Commissioner,
Shimoga District.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 5224-Ml. 127-17-8 dated 5th October 1918 requesting to intimate the action taken in the matter of the revised estimate in connection with the improvements to the Shimoga Town Water Supply, I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of the resolution of the Municipal Council Shimoga dated the 9th October 1918 on the subject.

It is requested that sanction for the revised estimate for Rs 1,02,622/- may kindly be accorded as recommended by the Council.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

President, Town Municipal Council,
S h i m o g a .

H.R.

Forwarded with compliments by the Secretary to the Government Revenue Department Singapore -

29th October 1918.

M/A
Deputy Com
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Encl to Lr No 127-17-9 (63

Proceedings of a Special meeting of the Town Municipal Council, Shimoga held in the Sree Chamarajendra Memorial Hall on Wednesday the 9th October 1918 at 8-10.A.M.

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Subject No. 2.

Letter No. 5224 Ml. 127-17-8 dated 5th September 1918 from the Secretary, Revenue Department, Bangalore re revised estimate of Shimoga Water Works.

Resolved that a recommendation be sent to Government for sanction of the revised estimate for Rs 1,02,682/- for the improvement of Shimoga Water Supply as the work and expenditure are absolutely necessary.

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Sd. M.A.Narayana Iyengar,
President, Town Municipal
Council, Shimoga.

" Extract "

For President, Town
Municipal Council, Shimoga.

H.R.

Proceedings of the Government of H H the Maharaja of Mysore

Read -

G O No 645-9/ P W 3081-5 dated 4-4-1916 sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 40018/- for improvements to the Shimoga water Supply, the cost being met equally from the Municipal and State Funds

2 Correspondence ending with the letter No 225 of 28th October 1918 from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, reporting, with reference to G. O No 6249-50/ Ml 137-17-4 dated 7-5-18, that the Municipal Council of Shimoga consider that the execution of works detailed in the largest of the three revised estimates submitted by the Chief Engineer for Rs 1,02,632, Rs 77,015, and Rs 74,552 respectively is absolutely necessary and requesting sanction of Govt to the said estimate as also to an additional contribution of Rs 31,267 from the State Funds towards meeting the excess over the previous sanctioned estimate, the Municipality undertaking to provide by raising a loan the other half of the said excess

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Order No 133791-80

Bangalore the 21 February 1919

The original scheme for the water supply to the Shimoga Town was sanctioned in G O No 354-61/ Ml 85-03-6 dt 24 3 09 and was carried out at a cost of Rs 69,299 the moiety of which was paid from State Funds, a sum of Rs 37,000 also having been advanced from the same source as a loan

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2 As it was represented by the Municipal Council that the existing system did not adequately provide for the growing needs of the Shimoga Town and that its capacity was insufficient both for house connections and increasing the number of public fountains for which there had been a great demand Government, in their Order No 1979-82/M1 69-12-19 dated 21-8-1914 sanctioned a preliminary estimate for Rs 37,000 for effecting certain improvements to the water Supply System, agreeing to contribute half the cost of the said estimate on the distinct understanding that no further help would be given The detailed estimate submitted in this connection by the Chief Engineer amounted, however, to Rs 40,018 which also was sanctioned in the Public Works Department with a correspondingly increased Government liability

3 Revised estimates as noted in the margin were subsequently received after nearly two years from the President of the Municipal Council with his letter dated 30-3-1918 for reconsideration of the Government Orders already passed in the matter on account of the special circumstances created by the war which contributed to the abnormal increase in the estimates The President also urged as resolved by the Municipal Council that the largest of the three estimates may be sanctioned and that Government may be pleased to sanction out of State Funds, half the excess cost under the said estimate and to grant permission to raise their share of the excess by

1 for Rs 1,02,534
2 " " 76,927
3 " " 74,463

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by means of a loan With a view to determine the liability of Government in this connection and obviate the necessity for constantly revising the sanctioned estimates, Government in their Order dated 7-5-18, -- pointed out to the Municipal Council the -- desirability of adopting only that estimate which provided for absolutely essential works with due regard to the finances of the Municipality In reply to this, the President has again urged ~~[illegible]~~ that it is absolutely necessary that works estimated for in the largest of the three estimates should be carried out for satisfactorily ~~[illegible]~~ meeting the situation This scheme has been under correspondence for a long time ~~[illegible]~~ now and the ~~question~~ scheme of house connection ~~indeed~~ completed so far back as 1912 still remains to be carried out An expenditure of Rs 41,475 is ~~ascertained~~ reported to have been already incurred ~~[illegible]~~ on purchase of materials, ~~[illegible]~~ in this connection on account of this mainly ~~[illegible]~~ and works as noted in the margin, ~~[illegible]~~ scheme is ~~in half finished condition~~ are kept ready to be completed

X 1) Most of the pipes required have been purchased
2) The elevated tank is almost complete
3) Machinery required is also received and paid for and foundation for the same is begun

4 Government have carefully considered the question and having regard to the -- progress so far made and to the repeated requests of the Municipal Council for a satisfactory settlement of this long-pending water supply scheme, are pleased to sanction the estimate for Rs 1,0?,6?3 which provides for additional fountains as well as for facilities for giving house-connections, thus meeting the requirements of the town completely. Government are also pleased to

sanction

sanction a moiety of the excess cost involved in the present estimate in view of the -- exceptional circumstances of the case and to permit the Municipal Council to raise a loan towards meeting their share of the -- excess Early action should be taken by the Municipal Council to submit proposals for raising this loan together with a draft propectus

5) Arrangements also should be made by the Municipal Council to find funds to -- maintain the water works when completed in an efficient condition and for the repayment or the loan and the interest thereon when the same is raised by the Council

6) The Chief Engineer is requested to proceed with the work now and to bring it to completion at an early date

By Order,

Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department

To

The Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga Dt

The Chief Engineer of Mysore with the usual Estimate with Plans & Council proceedings —

ISP 20/2/19